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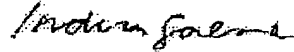
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APPLN. NO.: 10/799,913 EXAMINER: Daniel J. Ryman  
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TITLE: METHOD FOR SELECTIVELY ALLOCATING A LIMITED NUMBER OF  
BITS TO SUPPORT MULTIPLE SIGNALING TYPES ON A LOW BIT  
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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